

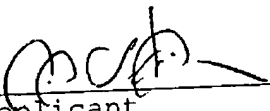
Application No. 10/612,588
Response dated November 23, 2005
Reply to Office action of October 26, 2005

Remarks:

In deference to the election requirement, applicant provisionally elects Group I, claims 1-18, drawn to a self-cleaning water purification apparatus.

Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application including claims 19-30 at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,



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